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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
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EXAMINING GROUP 2633**

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Jin-Yi PAN

Art Unit: 2633

Application No.: 09/449,575

Examiner: Dzung D. Tran

Filed: November 29, 1999

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DESTINATION TO SOURCE
PROTECTION SWITCH SETUP IN OPTICAL NETWORK TOPOLOGIES

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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June 28, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the claims are submitted on page 2.

Remarks are submitted on page 14.